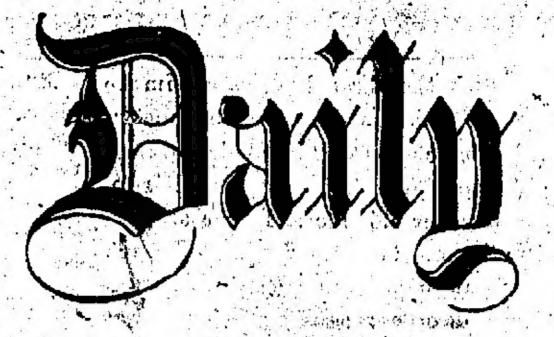
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Hongkong, LAY 6th 1909. THE opening years of the Nineteenth Century found Europe preside lover by a batch of sovereigns the most intellectual whom hardly reached the standard of hare mediocrity, and it was on account mainly of this low intellectual capacity of those who were intrusted with the interests of the Continent that a young French Lieutenant of Artillery succeeded in not only entering every capital; but in submitting the whole to his own private rule, and in establishing a Napoleonic family régime from the Atlantic to the Vistula. In curious contrast with this unpropitious beginning the close of the century found the interests of Europe in the hands of a number of monarch, many of whom were distinguished by personal characteristics as individuals, and the whole of whom, almost without exception, were possessed of abilities far above those usually appertaining to the wearers of crowns. Perhaps it was only a case of natural action and reaction, land the simple effect of that ruling yet mysterious law of Nature that every seeks, to reduce things mundane to ar average; yet whatever the cause the effect is outside the reach of controversy, Strangely, too, the phenomenon has not heen confined to Europe, but has shown a distinct tendency to become world-wide. If our own borrish King GEORGE III. for

whom the nation could find no fitter appallstion than "Farmer George", had at the close of the eighteenth century succeeded in almost bringing about the break-up of Empire; it curiously remained.

amongst the rulers of the day, of an intense devotion to duty. The example set by her fortunately commended itself to her fellow presidente of Republics.

the weak and incapable Appur Asız allowed himself to become the minion of a Russian the vitals out of the land, and the people at last in desperation deposed their was placed on the throne. As an intellectual predecessor; as an administrator he proved little better, and Russin taking the opportunity to declare war, Turkey was brink of extinction. Taking up the standpoint that the substitution of Russian rule for Turkish would be merely an exchange of King Log for King STORE, -of Russian for Turkish barbarism, -the public opinion of Europe intervened, and Sultan ABDUL HAMID under the ordinance of the Congress of Berlin got a brand new tenure of the Sultanate, -this time, it was understood, to be administered during good behaviour.

calibre as his predecessor, and as little tormented with any c nacientious scruples, possessed what often accompanies a low. grade of intellect, a highly developed mutual jeniousles of the Powers would prevent them uniting for any eff ctive measures of control; so, adroitly taking future, advantage of this weakness, and playing Orders for extra copies of DAILT PRESS ONE against the other, he determined to rule as his momentary whim dictated, regardless of any expression of public opinion to the contrary. Germany, who had extensive schemes of her own regarding railways in Anatolia, now played the part formerly acted by Russia, and championed the Sultan n his reactionary policy; so that affairs, co fur from improving went steadily from bad to worse, until last year disorder became so rampant in Bulgaria that the Powers found it actually necessary to establish an international constabulary, ABDUL HAMID though nominally coinciding in the arrangement madeuse of all his powers of intrigue to render the new force inutile, so that the disorders instead of abating actually graw worse. The disorders were not confined by any means to Bulgaria, but were spreading through the empire, in all parts of which disaffection was becoming rampant. It was under these circumstances that the more advanced party, finding remonstrance utterly useless, and the old reactionary party growing, becoming every day more influential with the Sultan, determined to make a bold stroke, and finding that the army at large was in favour of reform of the administration, rose en masse and demanded parliamentary government. Sultan Hamin at once saw that he had no power of resistance, full-fledged constitutional monarch, and swore to accept the new Constitution. The oreign Powers, though they well knew the character of the sovereign with whom they were dealing, affected to believe the professions of the Sultan, and acknowledged with

> But the leopard does not naturally change his skin, nor will any amount of washing turn the Negro white; so Sultan HAMID, while openly acknowledging the Parliament was all the while in secret plotting with the reactionaries its destruction, and doing his best to bring to Constantinople a sufficient will conduce to commercial activity in many number of troops devoted to the old regime directions.

congratulations the new parliamentary

for his Grand-daughter, Queen VICTORIA, It was this that brought down on him the to be the first to restore the lost prestige of chiefs of the new army, who at once deterthe ruling houses. Gifted with a mental mined to march on Constantinople, and seize capacity rather above the average, the main the Sultan before he had succeeded in refeature in her character was, that, rarest establishing the old order. "It is characterietic of the new state of affairs that the march to 26,977.75. on Constantinople was accomplished without any disorder; perfect discipline was monarche, so that the latter half of the maintained, and though a good-deal of blood century was marked by an almost entirely has been spilled, and an-actual state of war new class of sovereigns, of whom more existed for some days, fighting has all been es ecially may be mentioned, the Emperor above board and no private plunder lies FRANCIS JOSEPH, King VICTOR EMANUEL be deplored. It had become patent to all (Re. Galantuomo) and King Oscar. The that the Sultan's words could not be trusted, destructive wars of the beginning of the and that it would only lead to a renewal century had had a sedative effect, and the disorder were he again to be restored to nations were bent rather on recuperation power, so it was arranged to quietly depose than on expansion; almost the only exception him, taking care to respect his person while Mr. Hazeland replied that he was sorry he having been the Tsan Nicolas Lof Russia. depriving him of the means of renewing his Not only the moral qualities were advanced, intrigues. In all former cases of deposition but towards the end of the century, and in Turkey the deposed sovereign has had to more so in the opening years of the twen- pay the penalty of his misdeeds with his tieth, the intellectual grasp of the Rulers, life. It was evident, however, that in the be they in this respect crowned heads or case of Sultan Hamin, the man himself was a most too insignificant to be made the The improved intellectual grasp in Europe object of mere revenge. Still it was clear was apparently accompanied by a tendency | that the new government could not afford to patronise the less advanced sovereigns to permit him to carry on with impunity and people of the East, Egypt fell under his old intrigues; so it was decided to send; the protection of Great Britain; while him under strong guard to Salonika, Turkey, it was taken for granted, would district known to be strongly constitutional, under the benevolent aggis of a united and keep him there in honourable captivity. Europe of her own account take the road Another man than the sometime Sultan towards more civilised administration. But HAMID would probably resent such treatment, but there is no reason to suppose that HAMID will, beyond the momentary annoyre resentative, who stood by with com- arce of finding himself debarred from his placency while he saw that Sultan knawing old game, feel any indignity at his new position. For some thirty years it was only what he had inflicted on his own brother and incapable ruler. A new sovereign placed heir presumptive, RESHID Effendi, and it hastily on the throne proved equally help- has been the traditional fate of every near less, and after a few months, disorder, in relative of the Turkish reigning house to be August 1879 the late Sultan Annu Hamin either put to death, or, if the reigning monarch were of milder disposition, to be ruler, HAMID was no advance on his blinded, or at the least imprisoned for life. To be that up with the favourites of his burem in a pulace at Salonika, will probably strike this last degenerate section of the reduced by the treaty of San. Stefano, to the house of Osman as not far removed from the height of human felicity. Sultan Hamin is now in his sixty-seventh year, so that his happy fate is little likely to meet with much plague patients seems to be the work of some sympathy at home or abroad. It is to be irresponsible busy bodies, hoped that with his inclosure one pretext for Continental intrigue will be removed off the murd. His successor who has seemingly learnt wisdom in the hard school of experience, is hardly likely to venture on the same dangerous sea that has brought But HAMID, although of as low mental brother to an ignominous nersonally pleasant enough end. Sultan MAHOMET V. has never displayed an unusual versatility of intellect, but on the other hand bas been careful, with every temptation animal cunning. He soon saw that the to avoid being mixed up in dangerous political schemes; and this in Turkey's ex-

> When the teamer Djambi which was sunk was put up to auction at Singapore last week. the highest bid offered was \$300. The steamer was bought in and will again be put up for Convent yielded over one thousand dollars.

Four messroom boys from ... H.M.S. Moorhen" were brought before Mr Hazeland at the Magistracy yesterday charged having stolen quantities of jam and One was discharged but the others were sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment each.

Before Commander Basil R. H. Taylor R.N. the Marine Magistrate's Court yesterday, the coxswain of a launch had his certificate suspended for two months' for failing to observe the rule of the road, and thereby running down a small boat belonging to a trading junk,

The Chinese Imperial High Commissioner Tang Shao-yi, and other members of the special mission were received in audience by the German Emperor at Potsdam last month. The First Class of the Prussian Order of the Crown has been conferred upon Tang Shao yi and upon the Duke Tsai-fu, and minor decorations have been conferred upon other members of the

We have been favoured by the publishers with a copy of the War Cry, the Salvation o seemingly accepting with a good grace acquired at Dalny by the Army. A substantial the idevitable he for a few days posed as a hall put up by the Russians as a general post office has been purchased there for 3,600 yen. of a wall round the property will cost another

The first of the China Consular Reports for the year 1908 is to hand. It is the report on the Trade of Antung by Mr. W. P. M. Russell, the acting Consul, who says that having regard to the general trade depression throughout the north of China, Antung trade may be said on the whole to have been satisfactory through the year, and that merchants, both Chinese and Japanese, seem to look forward with confidence to a promising season in view of the decision to reconstruct the railway to Mukden, which

Mr. J. B. Dobie, the Hongkong Agent of the TELEGRAMS, TELEGRAMS. Chinese Engineering and Mining Co., Ltd. informs us that he is in receipt of advice that the total output of the Company's three mines for the week ending 17th April amounted to 28,907.80 tons, and the sales during the period

An interesting opium case was mentioned at the Magistracy yesterday. A Chinese residing at 3 Jubilee Street had been found with a quantity of opium in his possession, and he had been liberated on a bail of 860, which was about the value of the opium. Since then the excise officers discovered, concealed in the ceiling of the house, a long tube which had apparently held about 40 mace. When defen- as follows :-dant did not appear, at the Magistracy yesterday Mr. Hoggarth, excise officer, informed his Worship that the bail was inadequate but could not assist as it was a matter to be arranged with the police. The bail was accordingly estreated.

There is a movement in France to extend the cultivation of rice in Indo-hina by investing capital and improving the native methods of cultivation. The export rice trade centres in the port of Saigon—the quantity going to Europe being about one-fourth of the total But Salgon rice, owing to the coarse appearance of the grain, does not find favour in Europe a food-stuff, and is used preferably for industrial purposes such as the manufacture of starch and in distilleries. On the other hand, Saigon rice finds ready buyers in Japan and in Netherlands India. The Philippines, too, draw upon Saigon But China is the leading customer of Indo-(hina, and it takes on the average about one half of the rice exported from the Colony. China. cannot grow grain enough to feed its 400 millions of inhabitants, and Indo-China comes in handy to make up the difference.

MACAO.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT?

EXAGGERATED REPORTS OF PLAGUE. A circular printed in Chinese has been issued inviting the public to attend a meeting at the Chinese Hospital to consider the desirability of erecting a matshed on the Chinese side of the boundary for the reception of suffering from plague. This alarm is quite unjustified. Plague is not epidemic. in the city, and the calling of a meetting to provide special accommodation for

GOVERNMENT TAKES OVER THE OFIUM MONOPOLY

At noon yesterday Senhor Joao M. Garcia the Administrator, took possession of the Opium Farm, and the Government is now conducting the business, with expert Chinese assistance. Mr. Basto, the solicitor representing the Opium Farm, formally protested against. the action of the Government. MISCELLANEOUS.

As a result of the meeting that took place on Saturday last at the Leal Senado the telegrams of which I furnished a summary have been sent

When will the postage rate be reduced from hausted condition is a good omen for the here to Hongkong and Canton?

It is rumoured that a young man named Hilario has been mutilated in Chinese tereltory! Our river Gunboat (which has been overhauled some few months ago by a French Mail steamer in the Kowloon Dock) will soon be ready for service in our water.

The Kermesse for the benefit of the Italian

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

A highway robbery in Hongkong was reported to the police yesterday. The particulars supplied are to the effect that a cattle dealer from Kennedy town and his two fokis were proceeding of ywards at four o'clock yesterday morning, and when near the Kwong Tung Hotel they were stopped by three men who represented themselves to be excise officers and demanded that the cattle dealer and his fokis should aflow themselves to searched for opinm. They complied and the cattle dealer and his companions squatted on the ground. The first named opened his bundle whereupon the robbers struck the men over the heads with iron bars. and made off with the \$700 which was in the cattle dealer's bundle.

THE CIRCUS

The Hippodrome continues to delight fairly large audiences nightly, the varied programme of clever, witty and sensational events affording amusement to all. The new programms equally as entertaining as last week's, the Army journal, in which we notice several equestrian acts being well done, while some of references to the work of the Army in Japan | the acrobatic feats are little short of marvellous. and Korea. There is a picture of a property One of the best turns in the performance is that accomplished by two of the Mysore Troupe. One of the men balances a bamboo pole, about twenty feet long, perpendicularly on his shoulder, and the proposed alterations and the building while the second climbs to the top of this and balances there. Mdlle. E. Walbourge and her little light comedy, and it delights those who well trained and beautiful white steed give an excellent exhibition of scenes on a battlefield, night's production; though not witnessed by a and her appearance as Napoleon before Moscow was well worthy of the great applause as that of the previous night. with which she was greeted. Then there is the silver wire walking exhibition, clever dancing, trick cycling and the always appreciated and wonderful entree of the lion

At the matinee yesterday afternoon children from the orphanages were admitted free, and no doubt they will always remember with gratitude the management of the Hippodrome Circus for giving them the opportunity of seeing an excellent performance.

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THE SHANGHAL RACES.

THIRD DAY RESULTS.

SHANGHAI, May 5th.

The results of to day's meeting were THE GREAT NORTHERN PLATE. - Value, Tis,

250. Second Pony, Tls. 75. If five or more troops have been brought in to Races, 10 lbs. extra. Jockeys who have never won an Official Race allowed 5 lbs. Seven Furlongs.

Mr. Beverly's Brockton, (Vide) Messrs. Toeg and Speelman's Peiho,

Mr. Oswald's Ravenshoe, (Wuilleumier) ... Time, 1.45-2/5, record.

THE RUBICON PLATE. - Value Tls. 250. Second Peny. Tle. 75. If five or more starters; Third Pony, Tls. 50. For China Ponies, being bonh fide Griffins at date of entry. Weight for inches as per scale. One Mile and a Quarter.

Mr. MacWatt's Russley Cumming) ... Mr. Noegi's Fabulus (Moller) Mr. Jeromi's King Cole (Wuillenmier)

Time, 2.38-4/5. THE SHANTUNG STAKES .- Value, Tls. 200. Second Pony, Tls. 50. Third Pony, Tls. 25. A forced entry for all Subscription Griffins otherwise entered at this Meeting. Weight 5 lbs. extra; two Races, 10 lbs. extra. Unplaced Ponies allowed 5 lbs. One mile.

Mr. Wingard's Banff; (Moller) Mr. Kamel's Vingt-et-un. (Vida) Mr. W. G. Pirie's Yeoman, (Camming)

Time, 2.06-3/5. THE PARI-MUTUEL STAKES.-Value, TIS. 300. Second Pony, Tis. 75. If five or more starters, Third Pony, Tls. 50. For China Ponies, Weight for inches as per scale. Griffins at date of entry allowed 7 lbs. A penalty of 7 lbs. for Non-Starters and Winners at this Meeting. One mile and

Mr. Buxey's Celia Rose (Vida) Mr. N. W. Hickling's Maybury (Sparke) ... Messrs. Toeg and Speelman's Susquehanna

Time, 3 mins. 10-2/5 secs.

THE RACING STAKES .- Value, Tls. 250. Second Pony, ils. 75. If five or more starters. Third Pony, Tls. 50 For China Ponies, that have not run before 1st January 1909. Weight for inches as per scale . Griffins at date of entry, and Non-Winners at any Meeting, allowed 5 lbs. extra. One mile.

Mr. John Peel's Kirkendbright (Johnstone) Mr. Dick Turpin's Vanguard, (Springfield) Mr. Haye Seafarer, (Poulsen) Time, 2m. 04-2/5 secs.

THE YANGTEZE CUP.-Value, Tis. 25%. Second Pony, Tls. 75. If five or more starters, Third Pony, Tls. 50. For thing Ponies that have run at the meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners at this Meeting 5 lbs. extra. Unplaced Ponles allowed 5 One mile and Three-Quarters. Mr Coeg and Speelman's Stirrup Cup...

Mr Toeg and Speelman's Spree (Alderton)... Mr Saxo-Bornssia's Segittarius (Moller) Time 3m 44-4/5 sees.

THE MANCHU STARES - Velue, Tis, 250 Second Pony, Tils, 75. If five or more starters, Third Pony, Tls. 50. For China Ponies, bona fide Griffins at date of entry, that have run and not won a Race. Weight for inches as per scale. One mile and

Mr Dick Turpin's Vengeance (Springfield) Mr R. McGregor's Platypus (Cumming) Mr Hasty's Dobequick (Alderton)

Time 2m. 38-4/5 secs. THE CONSOLATION CUP. - Value, Tis. 250 Second Pony, Tls. 75, If five or more starters Third Pony, Tls. 50. For China Ponies that have run at this Meeting and not won a Race Weight for inches as a per scale One mile and a quarter.

Messrs Morris and Ayscough's Medfield Mr Oswald's Ravenshoe (Wuillenmier) mr California's Sacto (Dalgarno)... Time 2m. 37-45 secs.

THE CH. MPION SWEEPSTAKES .- Value, Tls. 800. Second Pony The 200. Third Pony, Tls. 100. For all China Ponies Winners at at the Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. One mile and a quarter.

Mr Bailaus Gemini (Moller) . Mr Durgor's China (Jones) Mr Beverly's Worcester (Linton)... Time 2m. 33-4/5 secs.

THE NIL DESPERANDUM CUP.-Value, Tla 200. Second Pony, Tls. 50. Third Pony Tis. 25, For Subscription Griffins of this diceting that have run and not won a Rece Weight for inches as per scale. Unplaced Ponies allowed 5 lbs. Seven Furlongs. Mr. Thimbe's Giliak (Lanning)

Mr. Jedmer's Orel (Hailton) Mr Fem's Moustique (Cunning) Time 1m. 48 3/2. secs.

BANDMANN DRAMATIC COMPANY

No greater compliment could have been paid this talented combination than the request to repeat their performance of "The Worst Woman in London," a play which has met with the same success here that it has at home. It is full of thrilling absorbing interest, relieved with a have any appreciation for real drama. Last large audience, was as artistic and as effective

LUCKY FOR VIGAR.

During one of the banquets of the Church Congress in London a certain Bishop had as his left hand companion a clergyman who was completely bald, During desert the bald-headed vicar dropped his napkin and stopped to pick it up. At this moment the Bishop, who was talking to his right hand neighbour, felt a slight touch on his left arm. He turned, and beholding the vicar's pate on a level with his elbow, sa " No, thank you; no melon."

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ANARCHY IN BUENOS AYRES.

200,000 MEN ON STRIKE.

London, May 4th. Serious Socialist troubles continue Buenes Ayres. Two thousand Ponies that have run at this eeting. Weight reinforce the garrison. The work of for inches as per scale. Winner of one Race at this Meeting; 7 lbs. extra; two or more the port is paralysed and the tramcars are held up. The number of strikers is estimated at 200,000.

THE DELIMITATION OF MACAO

London, May 4th.

Portugal has ordered General Joachim Machado to start for Macao immediately to assist in the delimita. tion of the boundaries of the city.

RECEPTION OF THE BUDGET.

LONDON, May 5th.

Mr. Lloyd George, the Chancellor for inches as per scale. Winners of one Race, of the Exchequer, speaking in the House of Commons, said he was gratified at the reception accorded the Budget, and pointed out that criticism was practically confined to the propositions to tax land and licences, in which Britain was merely following the lead of other states, including the Colonies. He anticipated a large surplus in 1910 and declared that the Navy would be the first call.

CHOTA HAZRI.

The Lancet has been discussing the early morning cup of tea, which it admits is a source of comfort and refreshment to a good many persons. When tea, properly infused, is harmful at all it is, our contemporary asserts, when it is taken without food—that is to say, when the stomach is empty-but milk neutralises the tannin substances, and thus precludes their seting as irritants. The most cogent argument . against the early morning cup of tes (it is added) is that, as in so many cases, at all events, the tes is swallowed before the mouth and teeth are cleansed, the septic potentialities accumulated in the mouth overnight are washed into the stomach, and a poisoning process in the system might thus easily be begun. This is not improbably a source of gastrio catarrh in some individuals who drink their early morning tea before they leave their bed. The mouth, of should be clean before food, and especially before warm drink is indulged in.

PROSPEROUS AUSTRALIA.

EEMARKABLE LIST OF IMPROVEM RTS

Mr. Deakin, speaking at Hobart, referred to the growth of the material prosperity of the Commonwealth since the establishment of Federation. The area under crops, he said had increased by a million scres and there had been increases of £1.50 ,000 in the returns from agriculture; £4,000,000 in the returns from manufactures, £5,750,000 in the returns from mineral productions, and £18,0.0,000 in the returns from pastoral productions. Savings bank deposits had increased by £13,000,000 and the number of depositors by 300,000. The deposits in the banks had increased by £23,500,000, the imports had increased £7,000,000, and the exports £ 5,000,000. Overses shipping had increased by two million tons. Inter-State trade had risen since Federation from £25,000, 00 to £42.0 0.00 . On of the other hand the population had only increased by 500,000, which was unsatisactory.

THE VALUE OF THE BREATHING

SATURATING THE SYSTEM WITH OXYGEN.

A writer in a London paper says :-The treatment of disease by deep inspiration is of great antiquity. The Samurai-the old Japanese aristocrat—understood it thoroughly and cured himself of insomnia and other complaints by walking to the top of a high hill and breathing deeply.

More, he ranged the fields in a state of nudity. to oxygenise his entire body. Shelley, the poet, did this, and Franklin, too. Both passed many hours each day without their clothes. Father Kneipp, who turned a village of hute into thriving town, applied the same principle.

He treated everybody, from the late Empress of Austria to the peasants who surrounded him. Deep inspirations of perfectly fresh air fortily the organic nerves rectify the impaired pillary vessels, remedy local "determinations." equalise the blood circulation, diminish excitability, and correct morbid secretions.

But every teacher of deep breathing who knows his business accentuates the fact that the mind must co-operate with the inspiration Every muscle that is exercised with a club or a dumb-bell must have the mind focused on it for a perfect result. Every deep inspiration must be accompanied by the concentrated thought: "I am taking in nerve force." Let me, however, warn the tyro at the new cure to beware of over-inflation.

draughts of fresh air suddenly imported into a system unused to the new method will produce giddiness. But the effect soon passes, and the attacks gradually diminish. I have given a great deal of attention to this

subject, and have been "deep breathing" for years. I know of nothing which so braces the system, hardons the muscles, and stimulates the nerve centres. Let the neophyte make a simple test. Let

him open the windows, sit in an easy-chair, relax all his muscles, and take half a dozen deep and leisurely inspirations. He will get up from his chair a new man.

IN APPELLATE JUBISDICTION.

[BEFORE THE FULL COURT.] APPEAL PROM A JUDGMENT OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE.

This was the third day of the hearing of the appeal in which the Hip On Exchange and Loan Co. Ld., and the Hongkong and Manila Yuen Shing Exchange and Trading Co., Ld were appellants, Li Po Yung being respondent.

The appellants moved to reverse the judgment of the Chief Justice in an original action in so far as it directed, (1) That the sale by the appellants to Kwok Yik Ting of certain property, the subject of a counterclaim, be set saide, and that the consequent entries be made in the Land Office Register; and (2) That the appellant's claim, as plaintiffs in the action, be dismissed as against the respondent Li Po Yung with costs; and (3) That the appellants and Kwok Yik Ting (the defendant

costs of the counter claim. The defendant to the counter claim, Kwok Yik Ting, asked that the judgment, whereby it was directed that the sale of the properties from the Hip On Insurance Co., Ltd., to the appel- drawn up and passed. Then that formal lants be set aside, be reversed so far as it declared

such sale to be invalid. release of Li Po Kam from liability under the rectification in the register was not effected mortgage also released him.

were represented by Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, Look erand Deacon on behalf of Kwok Yik Ting. K.C., instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennys (of Messrs. Mr. Slade submitted that it would be wrong Dennys and Bowley); Kwok Yik Ting was for the Court of Appeal to differ from the represented by Hon. Sir Henry Berkeley, K.C., | conclusions of the learned judge who heard the who was instructed by Mr. R. D. Atkinson (of | case where his conclusion largely depended on Messrs. Descon, Looker and Descon); Li Po the demeanour of the witnesses, heard before Yung was represented by Messrs. M. W. Slade him. Taking the judgment on the facts, and and E. Potter-who were instructed by Mr. F. the points he had put before the Court on the Paget Hett (of Mesers. Brutton and Hett). facts, he submitted the conclusion was irresisti-

Li Po Kam was represented by Mr. H. G. Calthrop, who was instructed by Mr. C.D. Wilkinson (of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist). Mr. Slade continued his argument. He defraud on the one hand Li Po Yung, and stated that in order that their Lordships might fully appreciate the position created by the taking possession of this estate by the Hip On and Yuan Shing after the decision in the Court below, it would be desirable to recapitulate shortly the facts and the legal position of the parties before and after the judgment. Before the transaction which purported to pass the property to Kwok Yik Ting, the position was that Li Po Kam and Li Po Yung were mortgagors to the Hip On and Yuen Shing; that was to say, the Hip On and Yuen Shing had the legal estate, and Li Po Kam and Li Po Yung had the equity of redemption. Just before the transaction which was questioned in this action the Hip On and Yuen Shing; who had been only second mortgagees became first mortgagees by taking the assignment of the first mortgage for \$60,000 from the and Shanghai Bank, so that second mertgagees and taking the transfer of the first mortgage they clined to join Li Po Kam as a party. became first mortgagees for the whole of the two advances which amounted to \$210,000. At that time they had all the ordinary rights of point. mortgagees. They could go into possession; they could bring an action for foreclosure; or they could seil under the powers conts ned in the mortgages. They purported to sell under the power infthe mortgage, but if that sale had been a good one it would have extinguished the situation. mortgagors' equity of redemption, divested the two insurance companies of their legal estate. and passed over the whole of the estate, free from encumbrances, from Kwok Yik Ting. The judgment in this action amounted to a declaration that that sale must be set uside as it any relief against you. Your Lordships never was a bad sale, and also that the necessary made an order with regard to any notice of rectifications in the register be made. By that, of motion being served on Li Po Kam, judgment alone the title to the property, as We understood you came to the conclusion that distinguished from the rights of the parties, was he should be present. affected only by the notice; because there was notice to all the world that the apparent a party. legal estate had not got a complete title. They had never sought to | relief against him when I don't claim it. With deny the right of the Hongkong Fire Insurance reference to his being added as a party, it is a Company to receive their money under the matter for the Registrar to put him on the oircumstances, but as those circumstances were record. complicated he would not go into them at present. The judgment in the Court below being merely a declaratory judgment, and not going on to make the consequential orders which would, when carried out, change the title. the position of the parties so far as the actual title to the land was concerned was not immediately affected: That was to say that Kwok Yik Ting was entitled to remains in possession. and the mortgage to the Hip On and Yuen Shing had not been in fact revived. As preliminary to applying for the consequential order to put the judgment of the Court below into actual effect, an application for a receiver was made in order that the rents and profits of this estate should be in neutral hands to be handed over by the receiver In order to defeat that application Kwok Yik here on or about the 7th instant a.m. Ting voluntarily went out of possession, and allowed the Hip On and Yuen Shing Companies to go into possession as mortgagees. The position was perfectly clearly defined in Mr. Bowley's affidavit of October 26th. There was no order on Kwok compelling him to vacate possession;

he went out voluntarily. He submitted that

whatever the true state of the title to this pro-

party was, that as between Li Po Yung, Kwok

Yik Ting and the Hip On and Yuen Shing

of the legal estate and in actual physical posses-

Companies, the Yuen Shing was in possession

sion of the property. Kwok Yik Ting had no

interest in the property, and Li Po Yung was

tween those three had created an estoppel.

The Chief Justice-The form of the order was expressly reserved by the judgment. was to be made subject to special application

hereafter. Mr. Slade said that was so, and he coul submit a series of authorities which would show that title by estoppel was as effectual as a actual conveyance.

Mr. Pollock-I don't know whether it correct to say that there was liberty to apply these matters in the judgment.

The Chief Justice-I mid-what the form

the order will be, must be argued. Mr. Pollock-But your Lordship had already

directed the necessary restification. The Chief Justice Idon't know that the would be sufficient for the rectification to b

Mr. Pollock-Oh, yes. On that Kwok's name could been struck out.

The Chief Justice Itso happens that at the time this indement was given I had been locking into the question of registration of titles, and Eshould never have made that order if I thought the title was affected. The sale to the counter claim) pay to Li Po Yung his would not be set naide until the order was

Mr. Pollock-The order takes effect from the

Mr. Slade-There must be a formal decree decree is shown to the Land Officer, who makes the corrections in the register ordered by the Li Po Yung appealed on the ground that the decree. As a matter of fact, in this case the until November 19th. The decree was finally The Hip On and Ynen Shing Companies approved on November 16th by Mesers Descon, ble, that there was, nothing more er less than a conspiracy between the manager of these two companies and Kwok Yik Ting

on the other hand the two companies. Assuming he had established that proposition, he submitted that in point of law Kwok, or rather the syndicate, who were all tarred with the same brush, were not entitled to any sums that they had expended upon the property that they had wrongfully acquired from the two companies. The position taken up by the learned counsel who appeared for Kwok Yik Ting wasingenuous. His argument was " you should get a reconveyance from them, and that you were not entitled to have it unless you paid Kwok what he had expended on the property." In the circumstances of this case Li Po Yung and Po Kam did not want any conveyance from him at all. He had to deal with the companies he had defrauded of their properties. It was inconceivable that the two defaulting managers, who had got this property, could ask to be paid anything for what they had done with the property. He was informed, to his great surprise, that in spite of their Lordships' order, the appellants had de-

Mr. Pollock-I am prepared to deal with that

Mr. Slade-So that as far as this case is concerned they are going on with Li Po Yung

Mr. Pollock-A letter has been written to Li Po Kam's soliciton fully explaining the

Mr. Calthrop-The sppellants refused to join us. We cannot be made parties without notice being served on us. They say they won't make

us respondents. Mr. Pollock-Certainly not. We don't claim

The Chief Justice-We said he ought to be

Mr. Pollock-I cannot be made to claim

The Chief Justice-I thought we quite understood that nobody acquiesced in the order

we made. Mr. Pollock-All I on do is to send to Li Po Kom the notice of motion which has been served on Li Po Yung. We may be damaging our case enormously by not claiming relief against him, but we take the responsibility.

The Chief Justice-We held, as far as I can remember, that Li Po Kam should be respondent. The Registrar has taken it down. "Decided that the appellants should make Li Po Kam a party. Question of costs reserved. We still think that he ought to be a party, but whether there is any question of right involved

can be considered herester. after further argument the case was again adjourned.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The H.-A. Linie str. Liberia left Shanghai | when the innumerable electric bulbs circumon the 3rd instant p.m., and may be expected

The ! . N. Co.'s str. Taming left Manila on the 4th inst., and is due here on the 7th inst. The H.-A. Linie str. Brisgavia left Shanghai on the 4th instant am, and may be expected here on or about the 7th instant. The Swedish str. Peking left Shanghai on

the 4th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 8th instant The H.-A. Linie str. Senegambia left Singapore on the 4th inst. a.m., and may be expected here on or about the loth instant.

The T.K Kestr Chino Maru sailed from Yokohama on the 5th instant, and is due to arrive at this port on the 15th instant at noon. The Indo-China str. Kutsang left Calcutta for this port vis the Straits on the 3rd instant. and may be expected here on or about the 19th

instant. mortgagor out of possession. The title as be- The T.K.K. str. Topyo Maru arrived at San

Francisco on the 3rd instant.

GARDEN FETE.

It is remarkable that until yesterday a garden fete has not been held in the colony for at least fifteen years, and the charm of novelty, added to the philanthropic object, contributed to making the al fresco event of yesterday afternoon more than ordinarily attractive. A garden fête conjures up visions of British womanhood in most picturesque surroundings, with music adding to the guiety of the occasion, but that which took place yesterday would not lose by comparison with anything we recall of the homelands. The ladies were there looking well in their role of tes table assistants and of course where the ladies are there the gentlemen are also. The Botanic Gardens afforded an ideal location for the fete, and the few tente and matcheds that were erected for the accommodation of the various side shows peeped out picturesquely from leafy shades.

The terrace near the fountain was chosen as the scene of the cafe chantant and here tables, with a tempting display of dainties, were placed on the side walks, a large marques being erected at the top to give accommodation for larger parties. Close by was a stage, on which the performers during the afternoon took their stand. Here an interesting programme of songs, etc., was gone through in the course of the afternoon. Other stells were found in convenient situations, and a temporary theatre wa built near to the area reserved for the cafe chantant, while on the higher ground Mr. Ho Kom Tong and Mr. Choa Leep Chi had a te and serated water stall where welcome refreshment could be obtained.

The garden fete, which was arranged in aid of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Seaman's Institute, was under the management of Colonel Darling, Commodore Lyon, Lady Piggott, Mrs. F. H. May, Major Fisher, Mr. S. T. Duon, and and Mr. A. Moreno, socretary. The result was very creditable to the organising shility and ingennity of these ladies and gentlemen. The Buffs Band opened the proceedings by playing selections, after which the programme of the cafe chantant was taken up. At five o'clock in the temporary theatre Mrs. Worthington and Miss Ella Rowe gave a duologue entitled "Chatterbox" in the presence of a good number of patrons, most of whom returned later to see Mrs. Jarley' warworks and living advertisements organised by wrs. Bayard. Very effective spectacles were supplied by the following ladies and gentlemen; Mrs. Beasley, Mrs. Eves, Mrs. Freemantle, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Penfold b. rs. Wait, the Misses Shelton Hooper, Hutton Potts, Rowe, and Captain Dooner, Messes. Anderson, Bagnall, Donne, Davis, Gould, Innes. In the interval an interesting exhibition of ju-jiten, juggling and Japanese sword fencing, organised by the Nippon Club, was witnessed while the fortune telling, kicking the ball coccanut shies were also providing amusement

The cafe chantant was managed by a committee of ladies consisting of Mrs Lyon, Mrs Chamier and Mrs. J. R. M. Smith, who were assisted by Mesdames Murray, Wait, Tait, Grone, Penfold, Collinson-Morley, Freemantle, Grieve, Beer, Finch, Rowal, Butterworth, Pike, Waller, Eves, Misses Rowe, Lyon, Shelton Hooper, Potts, Dennys, Wikinson, and Carter The table d'hote, at which dinner was supplied

from 7.30 was under the supervision of Comdore Lyon, the band playing from 7.30 till 9, at which hour a popular concert, organised by the Rev. J. A. A. aker, was commenced and items were rendered by the following:-Staff Sergeant Hutchinson R.E. Lance Corporal Bosworth, The Buffs; Mr. Scannel The Buffs; Mr. Englefield, The Buffs, Mr. White, H.M.S. Tamar, Miss Bessie and Master Oscar Barrington, Bomb. Saunders, R.A., Sergeant Raybrand, R.E., Mr. Hogg, R.A. Mr. Boyd, Mr. Harwood, R.E., Lance Corporal Beckett R.E., and Mr. Pael (Accompanist.)

The sweet stalls were managed by a committhe of ladies repri ntative of the various consulates in Hongkong, namely-Madame Von Wiser, Mrs. Bribosia, Madame Lieris, Madame Voretzsch, Madame Tiedmann, Madame Winklec. Owing to illness Madame Voretzsch was unable to be present.

The cocoanut shies were in charge of Mr. E.P. Bernard and Mrs. Bailey.

The Chinese refreshment stall was presided over by Mr. Ho Kom Ting and Mr. Choa Leep Chi, who were assisted by Mrs. Ho Kom Tong, Mrs. Tze Wen Wing, Mrs. Leung Shui, Mrs. Shi Fu, Mrs. Chung Fan Ting, and the Misses Chon Leap Chi, Ho Kom Tong, Chan Yau, Chung Yu Ting, Chung Fun Chun; Lai. Mo Ching, Wong Lai Sin, Wong Oi Lin, Chui, opium revenu has now commenced.

Yuk Lan, Lat Yin Kwan. The musical programme during the afternoon was sustained by the following: Mrs Captain Surray, Captain Dooner, Captain Fenfold, Mr. Donne, Mr. Beavis, Mr. Harris, Mr.

Chapman, and Mr. Carroll. Beautiful as the gardens looked by day, their beauty was rendered more bewitching at night ferenced the cafe chantant and gleamed from the tents in the vicinity, the charming music and the gay throng adding to the wonderful animation of the scene. A unique feature was the illuminated dragon, some fiftyfive feet in length which moved its sinnous course throughout the grounds. Lit with candles, it was borne by about a dozen men. This event was arranged by Mr. Ho Kom Tong. There could be no doubt that the garden fete was a great success and the promoters deserve well for what they have done. Where all worked so willingly, it is perhaps invidious to mention names, but men- to-day is as follows:tion should be made of Mr. Ho Kom Tong, who not only supplied the tea and nerated waters for the stall which was under his supervision but he sold 8 " tickets, realising \$750, a hundred of these being sold to the girls of the On Wai Anglo-(hinese School at half price. Moreover he gave 2000 bulton holes and 25 bouquets, the

proceeds from which went to the funds.

THE SHIPPING BOYCOTT.

SERIOUS SITUATION AT HAIPHONG.

The Erench, British and German steamer lines that call at Haiphong have suddenly raised freight rates to China by 30 per cent Their Chinese customers at the Tonkin por are dissatisfied, and have boycotted the Conference which sprang the rise upon them. obtain the facts, a representative of the Avenu du Tonkin interviewed a leading Chinese exporter, who explained that the price of rice was too low to admit of him and his fellow-traders paying the increased freight rates. The aim of the boycott is to compel the Conference to charge the old rates again, at the outset. The Chinese exporters are determined upon cheapening freight rates, and have formed themselves into a syndicate which will charter steamers The latter will carry all the import and export trade passing through Chinese hands a

STUBBORN RESISTANCE. The syndicate for the present does not intend to make profit out of freights, and will work as economically as possible. Fair rates will charged so as to meet current outlay. It is hoped in time to lower freight rates below the figure the increase in which brought on all the trouble. The Conference holds out shortly. The boycotters meet with great difficulties in charteing steamers to Hongkong and Shanghai. The Conference has the advantage over them in that, though freight rates in Tonkin are low, they are high in North China Many of its steamers have forsaken Haiphong, in consequence, for Chinese ports. The resulting crisis at Haiphong presents peculiar features Almost all the Tonkin rice export goes to Hongkong Should the Haiphong Chinese exporters stop baying rice, the trute with into European hands.

HONGKONG TRADE. Should the boycott last long, it may have serious results, says, the Avenir. A 30 per cent rise in freights means a check on the exportation of many articles, especially grain. Can the rice export trade bear the increase in the long run? Can the Conference stand working along on the old rates at a loss for the benefit of Chinese only? Success on the part of the boycotters means an increase in the number of vessels flying the Chinese flag at Haiphong. The losers will be the French. British and German steamers which have hitherto shared the Hongkong trade.

THE SUGAR TRADE IN JAPAN

with regard to the sugar scandal. No more then betting on the contests the gang has arrests are now anticipated save the Japan Mail netted well over £100,000. and people are beginning to turn their attention to the question of sugar itself. The demand for this commodity is always there, especially at this time of the year, and the problem is how the demand is to be supplied so get across from "Gib" to Tangier. There was pany keeps its doors closed. The total quantity a sloop to take them. His only difficulty was 138,83 .490 catties, and of this total the Dai Nippon Company stood for 64. 00.550 catties while its Dairi branch stood for 15.828,100 catties. With these two factories thrown out of work, the price of the staple must rise rapidly and the door will thus be opened for the import of foreign sugar, which had virtually been driven from the market by the home product. As to this question of imported sugar the following figures show how largely the andfer decreased during the 10 years ended

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TRADE BETWEEN CHINA AND JAPAN.

The Osaka Mainichi reports that trade be tween China and Japan this year has been very active. Last year the trade was badly affected on account of the Canton boycott of Japanese goods. During the three months ending March 31st this year the exports from Osaks alone amounted in value to Y.8,014,000, and the imports to Y.939.000. The following table shows the exports and imports during the first three months of the years 1907, 1903, and

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DECLINE IN OPIUM REVENUE.

An Indian dispatch of the 17th inst states:-The inevitable reaction in connection with returns of the first sale of Bengal opium this month and of Malwa opium pass duty last month show a falling off as compared with the estimate of over sixteen lakks of rupees, and as Beasley, Mrs. Wait, Mrs Badeley, Miss Hooper. in last year's business the falling off is pretty certain to increase.

WEATHER REPORT.

The Hongkong Observatory yesterday issued the following report:-

has fallen considerably over E. Japan and N China; and slightly elsewhere. A depression appears to be passing Eastwards to the North of Hokkaido, and pressure is low also over N. thina.

Gradients are slight generally, and light variable winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the China Sea, accompanied by for over the former area. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.

The forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon Variable winds, Hongkong & Neighbourhood

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Variable windt, light; foggy. Same as No. 1. Fongkong and Hainan ...

ECHOES FROM EVERYWHERE

A MONKEY'S MEMORY. During a performance in a variety theatre at Copenhagen a monkey named Morits suddenly sprang off the stage and threw himself into the arms of a man in the audience. It was discovered that the man had been Morits's master four years ago.

JOURNALISTIC CANDOUR. "The editor is sick of the job, the staff refuse o write, and no money is coming in; therefore expect nothing more from us," is the startling announcement which greeted readers of the Schleswiger Woche" some time ago when he last number of the paper appeared.

BLUE-EYED GIBLS. A vicar's unusual recommendation for a church—that the girls of the congrega ion had the "bluest of blue eyes and the curliest of curls "-was mentioned in the Chester Consistory Court, when the Chancellor heard a dispute concerning a processional cross in Christ Church, Chester.

6000 MILES "TO BEE AUNTIE." One of the passengers by the Canadian Pacific Railway mail steamer "Empress of Britain," which has just arrived at Liverpool, a boy of the age of ten, who had travelled quite unaccompanied from Vancouver, British Columbia, "to see his auntie in Manchester, The boy, of course, had received every attention and care at the hands of the officials on board

BEETLE-HUNTING AS A PROPESSION. A reward of 1s. 3d. a lb. was recently offered by the Queensland sugar-planters, writes a Brisbane correspondent to one of the Home journals beetles of the destructive sugar-cane grub. Hundreds of men and boys have now taken up beetle-hunting as a profession. One man earns £6 a week through-out the "beetle season." and boys make a profit of from £2 a week.

GENERAL STORES. Among the many stories told by Mr. Lucy in his "antobiography, "Sixty Years in the Wilderness." is one of Sir Frank Lockwood Bored by the continual anecdotes of a companion about people he pretended to know, he abruptly. "Did you know General Stores?" "Rather." was the unsuspecting "Knew him at Aldershot before he went out to India. "Ah. said Lockwood pointing to a shopfront they were passing, " he lives over there.

ARRANGING THE RESULTS. telegram from Little Rock, Arkansas, states that the trial of four men charged with race swindling revealed an extraordinary organisation covering nearly every Etate in the Union. Its operators, the "Daily News" states, seem to have arranged during the past twelve months scores of races both for men and horses, as well as wrestling matches, and by A luli has been reached in the proceedings means of previously arranging the results and

THE BUNK FOR "FATHER." This of Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Jesso Collings is worth retelling. They were travelling together on the Continent, and wanted long as the Dai Nippon Sugar Refining Com- no regular steamer, so they got the captain of sugar produced in 1907 in Japan was to find them cabins. There was but one, his own. But after thinking it out he said to Mr Chamberlain. "It's all right, young man you'll be comfortable enough on the floor, and I'll put your father up in my bunk !

> A SPLENDID TEXT. Mr. Beerbohm Tree told the members of the Press Club, at their annual dinner, that when he was in Paris at the time of the Boer War. with peace near at hand, he was interviewed by a French journalist, who asked him to say something about the political situation. He declined, but upon being pressed; gave lead " " Death opens the for peace. The journalist replied. Thank you, my lord, that is quite enough; I make a splendid article out of that

FAST AS CURB FOR HEADACHE. Mme. Serval's period of festing at Berlin has come to an end, having lasted twenty-three days. thirty days, but her strength became exhausted. and her weight decreased to such an extent that The physicians who have been observing her throughout the duration of the experiment insisted on putting an end to "the cure." . Mme. Serval states that during these twenty-three days she has been entirely free from migraine. from which she had hitherto suffered continuously for years without being able to obtain the least relief, and the curs of which was her object in undergoing the fast.

PHILOSOPHY OF CLOTHES. An African traveller who has arrived in New York has been enlightening the public in the course of a lecture on "Darkest Africa" on the sad effect of clothes on the African negress. Clothes, he declares make the savage woman shy. When her raiment consists of little

Beyond a shell, a bangle rare, A feather here, a feather there. she is unconscious of her charms; but when introduced into a blouse and skirt she becomes vain and conceited, with a tendency to flirt, lothes, continued the lecturer, had been responsible for all the troubles African kings have had of late with their wives. BACHELORS TO PAY £2 A YEAR.

"Irreclaimable bachelors" are now having a bad time in the State of Maine. A Bill has been introduced, framed on a basis that men who make no reasonable attempt to marry by the time they are thirty years old should help to support the spinsters who have never received i proposal on reaching the age of forty years. I is proposed, the "Telegraph" says, to mulci every unmarried man of thirty or over at the rate of £2 a year. The law has some relief measures for bachelors or widowers who can show that they have made a reasonable effort to get a wife by proposing three times, either to three different women or to one woman.

THLEPHONE AND THE DOG. Conrad Maier, a grocer, living in a suburban town, informed the Frankfort police recently that his pet terrier "Ami" had been stolen. Soon afterwards the police telephoned to Maier that a dog answering "Ami's" description had been found in the possession of a suspiciouslooking man, who claimed that he had owned the animal for a long time. The telephone On the 5th at 12.20 p.m.—The barometer receiver was placed at the dog's ear, and Maier was instructed to talk to the animal in familiar language. The dog immediately rave every sign of recognition, and backed with joy. The pseudo-owner was so alarmed by this display of the animal's sagacity that he immediately confessed he had stolen the dog."

MISS AN'E MORGAN'S EATING-HOUSE. Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, has joined the ranks of the restaurant-keepers of New York. Armed with a special licence from the Federal authorities she (the "Mail" says) will open at the roklyn Navy Yard in May's first-class eating-house, at which wholesomely cooked meals will be served at moderate prices to thousands of Government employees. the restaurant will be sixty feet wide and a hundred long, and will accommodate 700 diners. It will not be managed as a charity, but as a sound business enterprise. Many of the best-known ladies of New York society. including Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mrs. J Borden Harriman, Mrs. H. Gerry, and Mrs. H.

HEMORRHOIDS

Accompanied by Terrible Itching A Complicated and Most Distress-Ing Case—Well-known Remedies Failed to Cure-Doctor Thought an Operation Necessary-Then

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"I am now eighty years old and one morning, three years ago, I was taken with a hard pain in my right side. In two days, I had an attack of piles (hemorrhoids), bleeding and protruding. The doctor gave me some medicine and an cintment for them which belied me some but I had to keep using them all the time. Then I changed to the P-remedy; but if I did not use it every day, I would get worse. The doctor said the only help for me was to go to a hospital and be operated on. At this time, about a year ago, I went to using the B remedies. I tried them for four or five months but did not get much help for my piles. During this time sores would come on a fically part of my body. They bothered me all the time. I would get one healed and would come. These sores changed to eczema, accompanied by a terrible itching. It seemed as if could not keep my hands from tearing my flesh. This and the pile trouble brought on an inflamed condition. Then I got the Cuticura Remedies. I washed the affected parts with Cuticurs Soap and warm water in the morning. at noon and at night, then used Cutifaces and injected & quantity of Cuticurs Ointment with a Cuticura Suppository Syringe. I also took Cuti-cura Resolvent Pills three times a day. It took a month of this treatment to get me in a fairly healthy state and hen I treated myself once a day for three months and, after that, once or twice a week. It is fortunate that I used Cuti-The treatments I had tried took a lot of money that I would have saved by using Cutiours. Remedies sooner, but I am wiser now, and I would not feel safe without them. J. H. Henderson, Hopkinton, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y. U. S. A., April 26, 1907. Send to nearest depot for Cuticum

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L. Satteries (Mr. Morgan's vonngest daughter) are associa ed with Miss' Morgan in her enter-

THE KAISER'S DOUBLES. The German Emperor is in the peculiar predicament of having no less than two doubles. One, a certain Herr Nitsche, follows the humble and prossic calling of a chimney-sweep. A year or two ago, when the Emperor was staying at a small German watering place, so the story goes, a tailor of the locality, suddenly waking up to the fact that he was rather like his Majesty, had his monstache trimmed accordingly, copied the style of dress as nearly as possible and boldly sallied forth into the town. His reception, says "M.A.P." even exceeded his own expectations, but the incident got to the ears of the authorities. Next day the ambitious tailor received a visit from police officer, with a peremptory recommendation to alter his appearance or else leave the town. He chose the latter course.

MR. CHAMBESLAIN AS BUTLER. The Foreign Office staff of the King's Home Service messengers has just lost one of its It was her intention to continue the fast for members, to whose mickname, "Sir Joseph," a story belongs. It occurred, says the, " . ristor Echo." when Mr. Chamberlain was at the Colonial Office. One night, or rather very early in the morning, the messenger was sent to Prince's-gardens with an important "Cabinet circulation." Mr. Chamberlain was working late, and had sent all his servants to bed, and the messenger had to wait a long time before getting an answer to his knock. At last he gave a thundering rat-tat, and presently had the satisfaction of seeing some one, whom he supposed to be the butler, appear in answer to his call, wearing a plain smoking jacket, and smoking a clay pipe. "Oh," said the messenger, " you have come at last, have you? There's no hurry. It's only a message from the Prime and the messenger, then recognising his man. stammered out, "I beg your pardon, Bir Joseph, I have a despatch-box for you."

THE QUEEN OF HOLLAND. QUAINT OFFERINGS.

The following is a complete list of the presents received by her Majesty for the heir :-North Holland: Silver tray with two sugar ots, a milk jug, a porridge dish, two spoons, all

South Holland: Cradle in white and gilt. Zeeland: Perambulator. Limburg : Antique grandfather's clock.

White wood washstand with silver basin, ewer, soap-box, and water-bottle. Drenthe: Silver salver on which the heir will be presented to the Minister of Justice and the Court dignitaries. Groningen: Gold rattle set with diamonds

and emeralds. Friesland: Antique oak chest, silver baby book, and miniature silver toys. Amsterdam: Rosewood cradle. Rotterdam : Silver plate, egg-cup, spoon, and

Roermond: Silver hot-water bottle for the

Deventer: Rug for the cradle. Speldoorn : White lacquered furniture for the nursery at the Loo

Island of Urk, in the Zuyder Zee: Doll Urker costume. Colony of Surinam: Gold plate, egg-our Wives of Dutch Officers: Savings bank book

for babies born on the same day as the heir t Wives of Colonial Officers: Gold cup an saucer, with Indian landscapes engraved o

The Hague Household School: Six bab outfits for poor parents of children born at the Ingue on the same day as the heir to the

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NORTH BORNEO. 1. In making arrangements for the leasing of the Farms for the next Farm period of 1910, 1911 and 1912, the Government-reserves to itself the right of vesting the Farms (as provided in the Proclamations concerned as named in Schedule A appended) in any person, by public

or private sale as may be thought fit. Subject to the above reservation it is hereby notified that tenders will be received at the Office of the Secretary to the Governor, have To-day handed over Charge of the Sandakan, up to 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day Company's Interests to MR. B. A. of OCTOBER, 1909, for the purchase of the exclusive privileges of the Farms described below for a period of one, two or three years commencing on the 1st January, 1910.

2. Any person either for himself alone or for himself and others, may, either in person or by agent duly accredited in-writing, on any date MAGAZINE HAND CAMERA to prior to the said noon of the 1st October next, submit to the said Secretary at Sandakan, any tender he may think fit for all or any of the Farms, provided such tender is in conformity with the terms of tendering hereinafter set out and fulfils all the conditions required of the

All tenders so made will (except at the express ish of the tenderers to the contrary) be received HE .Undersigned has received instructions and treated by the Government as strictly con-

On receiving any such tender, Government reserves to itself the light of deciding whether it shall be considered or not. If Government decides not to consider the tender, it will be returned to the tenderer under

sealed cover. All tenders accepted for consideration by -UPHOLSTERED CHAIRS, BRASS Government will be, in the first instance, NEW SCENES, retained by Government for further considera-CARPETS, RUGS, LACE tion with the tenders handed in on 1st October, 1909, which will be opened at noon on that date, after which the successful tenderer will be

3. The Farms, above referred to, are:-BRITISH NORTH BORNEO .- OPIUM. SPIRIT, GAMBLING and PAWNBROKING, as NEXT MATINEE

(a) in one concession for the whole State. (b) in one concession for any of the following: Districts of the State, the limits named including within the limits given respectively :--(i) SANDAKAN DISTRICT—the Territory

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Paitan River and on the other by the true right watershed of the Pindasan River. (iii) WEST COAST DISTRICT—the Territory bounded on the one side by the true right watershed of the Pindasan River and on the

other by the Northern Boundary of Province (iv) East Coast District-the Territory bounded on the one side by the true right watershed of the Kinabatangan River and on

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it may deem advisable as regards the letting of the Farms. (c) Each tenderer should specify in full, in English, and in the vernacular language of the

tenderer, the names, residences and occupations of the persons tendering, and similar information regarding any security or any partner that the tenderer wishes to propose:

(c) Copies of the the Forms of Contracts for the Farms may be seen on application at the Offices of the "aid SECRETARY, at Bandakan; or of Messrs. GUTHRIE & Co., at Singspore, or of

(g) The retail rates for Chanda fixed by

ohi iii 5 hun packet

(h) The Opium Farmer is responsible for seeing that Chandu is not sold by retail at the

and named above (g). and Spirits.

(i) During the continuance of the Farm period, the Opium and Spirit Farmers will be entitled to the use of a Trade-mark (to be approved by Government) to be affixed to any Opium or Chandu prepared by them, and to any essel containing Spirits for sale.

appointed by the Governor, they will be required | HONGKONG IC! COMPANY, LTD. to submit in writing to the Secretary to the Governor a Schedule showing full particulars of the Title Deeds they purpose to deposit with the Government as security for the said two months' Farm rent. If these are considered satisfactory, the new Farmers will be required to execute a mortgage of the property to the Government as provided for by law.

(k) The Farmer for the West Coast may be Jesselton (1) The following Preclamations govern- the

conduct of the Farms in B. N. Borneo viz:-SCHEDULE A. The Opium Proclamation No. 16 of 1901 as

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PUBLIC COMPANIES

MEETING of the above Company which was advertised would be held on FRIDAY, the 30th April 1909, is POSTPONED and the Transfer Books of the Company will not be Closed as stated by the said advertisement.

than an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Com pany will be held at the HEAD OFFICE of the Company, No. 14, Nanking Road, THIS DAY (THURSDAY), the 6th May, 1909, at 4 P.M., to consider and if thought fit to pass a Resolution sanctioning the borrowing by the Directors from time to time at their discretion for the purpose of the Company any sum or sums of money, provided that the total amount owing shall not

that the 17th ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE of the Shareholders of the Company, No. 14, Nanking Road, THIS DAY (THURSDAY), the 6th May, 1909, at 4.15 P.M. when the Report and Accounts for the year ended 28th February, 1909, will be presented. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 28th April to the 6th May, 1909, both days inclusive.

Secretary. Shanghai, 20th April, 1909.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Hongkong, TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), the to be arranged later. 7th May, 1909, at 12.30 P.m., for the purpose of Inasmuch as expense will be incurred in Meeting of the Society held on the 21st April, have general support.

of the Society to the exclusion of those

heretofore prevailing." Prints of the proposed Memorandum and Articles of Association can be seen at the Society's Offices, or obtained on application.

By Order of the Board of Directors. C. MONTAGUE EDE, Secretary. Hongkong, 21st April, 1909.

THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Head Office, No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), the 7th May, 1909, at 12.45 P.M., for the purpose of confirming the following. Special Resolution, which was duly passed at an Extraordinary Meeting of the Company held on the 21st April,

That the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company be respectively extended, altered and amended so as to read as shewn in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chairman of this Meeting and that such extended, altered and amended Memorandum and Articles of Association be henceforth adopted as the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company to the exclusion of those heretofore prevailing."

By Order of the Board of Directors. C. MONTAGUE EDE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1909.

May, at the CHARTERED BANK of INDIA. AUSTRALIA and CHINA and the Russo-CHINESE BANK at Tientsin and Shanghai. J. S. DOBIE,

Hongkong, 1st May, 1909.

be produced at the Offices of the Company,

Queen's Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, before the 27th May, 1909, a new Certificate for the said shares will be issued and the old Certificate will thereafter be held by the Company as null and void.

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 28th April, 1909.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED. NOTICE.

Shares, \$50 paid up, numbered 7856 to 7860 standing in the register in the name of Mr. JAMES GRICE, having been declared LOST, Notice is hereby given that unless the said Certificate be produced to the Society on or before the 30th June, 1909, a NEW-CERTI-FICATE for the said shares will be issued and the old Certificate will thereafter be held by the Society as null and void.

By Order of the Board of Directors, C. MONTAGUE EDE. Becretary.

INTIMATIONS-



MAGISTRACY.

IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that MEETING I HIS MAJESTY'S JUSTICES of the Peace for the Colony will be held at the MAGISTRACY, at 2.15 P.M., on FRIDAY, the 7th May, 1909, for the purpose of considering the following application under the Liquor Licences Ordinances, 8 of 1898 and 8 of

1908, viz.:-From One SOPHIA MAYER for the transfer to her from one B. MAYER of the publican's licence to sell by retail intoxicating liquors on premises numbered 1, Jubilee Street, under the sign of "THE COLONIAL HOTEL. J. H. KEMP.

Police Magistrate. Hongkong, 28th April, 1909.

GENERAL AVERAGE S.S. "ASSAYE" **DECEMBER**, 1908.

NY CLAIMS against the General Average on account of damage to Cargo caused through extinguishing the Fire on this Vessel must be lodged on or before 17th May, 1909. EDBERT A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co. Hongkong, 5th May, 1909.

NOTICE.

THE MANAGER OF KENNEDY'S STABLE begs to inform the residents of 7 OWLOON and district that provided sufficient NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an support be forthcoming he will be prepared to EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL establish a SHOEING FORGE at KOW. MEETING of the Society will be held at its LOON where Horses and Ponies can be shod Head Office, No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, by experienced Shanghai farriers on stated days

confirming the following Special Resolution, hiring suitable premises and in fitting up the

Those desirous of availing themselves of the "That the Memorandum and Articles of above are requested to send in their names and Association of the Society be respectively number of Horses and Ponies to the Under-

> G. W. GEGG, Manager, Konnedy's Stables. Hongkong, 5th May, 1909.

> > NOTICE.

WEISMANN, LIMITED. TUR BUSINESS has been REMOVED to No. 14, DES VŒUX ROAD CENTRAL. (Lately occupied by Madame Jay).

FOR SALE.

Hongkong, 28th April, 1909.

ELECTRIC PLANT

Consisting of :-FTWO 125 Kilowatt STEAM ALTER- 66 TNAIR VIEW" No. 1, Robinson Road, NATOR SETS; Output, 60 Amperes Containing SIX ROOMS and Several at 2100 Volts. The Sets comprise Vertical Small Rooms and Large Outhouses. Compound Medium speed Engines, 205 revolu- ROOMS suitable for Offices in No. 10, Ice tions per minute, by Messrs. Robey & Co., House Street, in rear of David Sassoon & Co.'s. direct coupled to Alternators by Messrs. premises. JOHNSON and PHILLIPS, complete with

Exciters, &c. ONE HORIZONTAL COMPOUND JET CONDENSING STEAM ENGINE, 100 Horse power by Messrs. BROWETT and LINDLEY. For further particulars apply HONGKONG ELECTRIC Co., LD.,

St. George's Buildings. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1909.

PUBLIC AUCTION. FITHE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction. FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED.

On SATURDAY.

the 8th May, 1909, at 5.30 P.M., at Kennedy's

Causeway Bay Repository, The following well-known Race and Polo Ponies: "MAVOURNEEN,"

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"MINNOW." Brown China Pony, Sab-Griffin of this Season Terms :- As Usual. HUGHES & HOUGH. Anctioneers.

TO LET

Hongkong, 4th May, 1909.

TO LET.

Hongkong, 5th May, 1909.

NYO. 24, WYNDHAM STREET, containing 4 ROOMS. Apply to-E. A. & C. F. CARVALHO,

ARGE OFFICE ROOM, on 2ND FLOOR of Prince's Building. Moderate Rent.

TO LET.

14, Arbuthnot Road

Apply to-Care of Daily Press" Office. Hongkong, 5th May, 1909.

TO LET.

NTO. 34. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL (Shop), Opposite the Post Office. No. 1A. WYNDHAM STREET (suitable for Office and Godown). No. 2a, D'AGUILAR STREET (suitable for Office and Godown). All of which are at present occupied by Weismann Ltd. For Particulars, etc., Apply to- YEE SANG FAT & Co., 34, Queen's Road Central

Hongkong, 19th March, 1909.

TO. 6. OBSERVATORY VILLAS, Kowloon. Five-Roomed House; Electric Lights and Tennis Court. "ERANEE BUNGALOW." Kowloon. A Small Garden attached. Moderate Rental. . Apply to - ARRATOON V. APCAR & Co., 14. Des Vœux Road. Hougkong, 3rd March, 1909.

TO LET

STORAGE. FOR COAL, TIMBER, &C.

TTO BE LET, a Portion of MARINE LO'A" No. 285 at NORTH POINT, Suitable for above Purpose. EXTENSIVE WATER FRONT. DEEP WATER.

Also FOR SALE. Portions of MARINE LOTS Nos. 31 & 36 on PRAYA EAST. Approximate AREA 43,000 SQUARE FT. 999 YEARS' LEASE. For Particulars; apply-

GEO. FENWICK & Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 8th June, 1906.

TO LET: "Y ODOWNS, Nos. 95, 96 and 97, PRAYA

EAST. CHATER & MODY,

Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, 1st February, 1909.

TO LET.

WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

TOWLOON MARINE LOT 48, Yanmati, Area 85,200 square feet and with 255 feet Ses Frontage. Especially suited for Storage of Coal, Timber, &c.

Apply to-HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE CO., LTD. Hongkong, 18th January, 1908.

TO LET-FURNISHED. 66 THUNG HUI," THE PEAK. To be Liet Furnished for 8 months or longer. -

foundon, stokes & master, Solicitors. 8. Des Vœux Road Central. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1909.

HOUSE in Wong Nei Chong Read. A HOUSE in RIPON TERRACE.

OFFICES To LET, No. 2, Connaught Road,

No. 3, CLIFTON GARDENS, Conduit No. 10, DES VŒUX ROAD CENTRAL, ist floor.

OFFICES in YORK BUILDING.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1909.

BUILDINGS and No. 16B. Des Voenz Road next to the HONGKONG HOTEL. FLATS in Moneton Terrace. Apply to-THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-

MENT & AGENCY CO., LD.

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H. E. POLLOCK. 18. Bank Building. Hongkong, 20th March, 1969. TO LET.

Apply to-DAVID SASSOON & Co. LTD.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1909.

TO LET. ODOWN, No. 5A, DUDDELL STREET. Apply to-

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY CO., LD.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1909. TO LET.

TOUR and FIVE ROOMED HOUSES L at Kowloon. and COMMODIOUS SHOPS. Nathan Road, Kowloon. Immediate Possession. Cheap Rentals.

ately occupied by the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd. Apply to-HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

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TO LET. CHOP and DWELLING HOUSE, No. 78, Queen's Road, Central.

S. J. DAVID & Co.,

Prince's Buildings. Hongkong, 25th March, 1909.

No. 5, MOUNTAIN VIEW, Peak.

Hengkong, 24th March, 1909.

Apply to-

TO LET. TOS. 2 & 3. BEACONSFIELD ARCADE. facing the Parade Ground. No. 4. MOUNTAIN VIEW (PEAK). Furnished from 1st June to 30th September,

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TYNFURNISHED - Nos. 8 and 10, WYNDHAM STREET, containing 6 Large Rooms each. Can be let together or separately.

No. 5, Queen's Boad Central. Hongkong, 23rd February, 1909. [213

Messrs. PERCY SMITH & SETH,

(d) The successful tenderer will be called upon to enter a contract under the provisions of the Proclamations named in Schedule A appended.

Mesers, Gibb, Livingston & Co., at Hongkong. (f) The successful-tenderer will be required to deposit ith the Finance Commissioner, Sandakan, Security to the value of three months Farm rent by means of a deposit of money to the amount of one month's Farm rent, and of title deeds to the amount of two months' Farm rent.

Government for the Opium Farm for 1910, 1911 and 1912 are those specified below:-Per tahil ... 3 2.40

The Opium and Spirit Farmers may fix

(j) As soon as the new Farmers have been

amended by No. 7 of 1904. The Liquors-Proclamation No. 17 of 1901. 1902, as amended by No. 1 of 1903, and

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By Order of the Directors, E. PALMER,

which was duly passed at an Extraordinary forge the Manager hopes that the Scheme will

extended, altered and smended so as to read signed. as shewn in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chairman of this Meeting and that such extended, altered and amended Memorandum and Articles of Association be henceforth adopted as the Memorandum and Articles of Association

THE CHINESE ENGINEERING & MINING CO., LTD. NINTERIM DIVIDEND of OneShilling and Sixpence per Share free of tax on account of year ending 28th February, 1909. has been declared by the Directors of the above Company. Coupon, No. 12 is Payable on 1st

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. THE SHARE CERTIFICATE, No. 2915. for Ten Shares numbered 19141/19150 inclusive, fully paid up, standing in the Register in the name of Auguste Prenne MARTY, deceased, having been LOST, Notice is hereby given that unless the said Certificate

By Order of the Board of Directors, GEO. A. CALDWELL.

THE CERTIFICATE, No. 783, for Five

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J. R. M. SMITH. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 12th January, 1907.

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C. WOLDRINGH, Manager, 'No. 16, Des Voeux Road Central. Hongkong, 3rd November, 1908.

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BRANCHES AND AGENCIES: Tainan Nagasaki " Tamsui Keelung Shanghai

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D. TOHDOW, Manager. Hongkong, 11th March, 1909.

INTERNATIONAL BANKIN

CAPITAL PAID UP ... Gold \$3,250,000, = about Mer. \$7,222,222 Gold \$3,250,000 = about Mex. 87,222,222 HEAD OFFICE: 60 Wall Street, New York. LONDON OFFICE: Threadneedle House, E.

> LONDON BANKERS: BANK OF ENGLAND.

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of Banking and Exchange business, receives money. Current Account at the Rate 2 per cent. per annum on Daily balances and accepts Fixed Deposits at the following rates: For 12 months 41 per cent, per annum.

No. 9, Queen's Road, Central, Hongkong. W. M. ANDERSON. Manager.

Hongkong, 8th April, 1908.

TONGKONG AND SHANGHA BANKING CORPORATION.

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Manager.

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Hougkong, 27th April, 1909.

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VOLCANIC GOLD - GOBLETS OF ICE - OUL LACK OF SMELL A MACHINE SENTINEL FOR SHIPS-ROTATION OF PORESTS -WONDEBEUL LATHE AUTOMATON - THE BURROW OF THE HUMAN ANT-A PULSE RECORDER-MAKING KINSHIP CLOSER-ART IN, GRINDING.

A new theory of gold bearing alluvial deposite has been worked out by M. Fieux, a I enchi geologist. It has been usually assumed that gold sulphide and telluride in the earth's central nucleus have been dissolved in hot springs and afterward deposited with gelatinous silies, and that erosion of the auriforous quartz veins thus formed has given the alluvial strate containing metallic gold. This proves to be true in some cases. More aften, however the gold in the deposits is associated with basic rocks, like disbase or diorite instead of with silica, and reasons are found for concluding that, in general, heavy eruptive rocks have brought up some of the metallic gold from the earth's interior, and after oxidation and erosion the lighter materials of these rocks have been washed away, leaving the heavier portions, including the gold.

Drinking tumblers made of ice were first tried in Holland, where they are considerably used in hot weather. They are made by pouring a little water into a metallic outer mold introducing a wellcentered inner form, and plunging the whole into a freezing mixture. The early tendency to break at the bottem has been remedied by shaping the molds so that the bottom is made thick and curved upward. On taking from the mold, the cup is given an external wrapper of paraffined paper for protection in handling, and is then placed in cold storage until wanted for uses

Anthropologists are finding that there are odors peculiar to races as well as individuals Dogs quickly recognize the individual odor, but our dull sense of smell seldom perceives it Negroes and Chinese notice in the white man the odor of death. Hervé récords that Negroes have a marked odor of goats, and Japanese and Chinese are said to have odors so distinct that it has been possible to tell by the smell whether a dispatch-box came from Peking or Tokio.

The automatic was lookout of Arnold Philip and Louis I, Steele, two British marine engineers, is designed to detect leakages of combinatible vapor or gas in submarines or the confined spaces of larger vessels. The presence of gasoline vapor or dangerous gas is shown when the proportion is only a third of that required to form an explosive mixture with air. and warning is thus given in time to prevent accident. The apparatus includes an electric motor air pump, with small pipes of the vessel where oil or gas leaks are likely to occur. When the air sucked in contains any considerable amount of inflammable vapor or gas, a white light goes out and a red light is lighted, and at the same time an electric bell is sounded. A contaminated air has been drawn.

The necessity of the rotation of crops is well recognized among modern farmers, and now it generally consist of nooks and corners artfully the same thing in the forests. The soil becoming exhausted after a long period of one Malay members of the crew, who are all in the The Corporation transacts every description | kind of forest, seedlings of other species gradually replace the old trees as they die out On the Indian soil, the deodar tree has been observed taking the place of the blue pine, pine and oak slowly exchange places, and spruce and silver fir have been noted gradually extending into a forest of failing cake.

> The balance or compensating screws for the balance-wheel of a watch are about 0.05 inch in length, have a head 0.05 inch in diameter; and the threaded part is 0.0225 inch in diameter, with 220 threads to the inch. These are probably the smallest screws made by automatic machines. screws an hour, including the cutting of the rich. slot in the head.

The deepest subway transportation is 185 feet which depth is reached by one of London's underground railways.

The new pulse counting watch, designed for physicians and nurses, shows without calculation the number of pulse-beats per minute, and has the advantages of the strict accuracy and of not requiring the attention to be fixed on the watch hands. Its principle is tnat of stop-watch. Pressing a pushbutton sets motion a large second-hand, when counting of the puleations begins, and at the twentieth another pressure on the button stops the hand The number of beats per minute is then indicated on the dial. Again pressing the button sets the hand at starting point, and the watch is ready for another determination. residence, details of his personal appearance, and Besides this use, the apparatus is also adapted. for antomatically recording any observations in minutes, seconds, and fifths of a second.

The occurrence of appendicitis in the anthropoid apes has been interesting the surgeons at the Pasteur Institute in Paris. A young female chimpanzee from the Congo died from appendicitis in 1904, and since their birth. then it has been found that these animals have a previously unsuspected resemblance to man in a special liability to this disease. A post mortem examination of 61 chimpanzees gave evidence that not less than 10 had been affected with appendicitis. Chronic appendicitis was discovered also in an orang-outang, and one of two gorillas examined had the same affection. In these apes the appendix is practically the same as in man, the chief difference being that it is a

G rindstones of artificial stone have been and their cost is only about one-tenth as much.

> AUSTRALIA'S YELLOW PERIL. A SECRET CHINESE INVASION

The Sydney correspondent of the London with good reason, that the Australian Commonwealth is threatened with a recrudescence of the Chinese stownways discovered on board vessels ports in the East, and there has long existed a vague but widely-spread impression that the numerous than had originally been suspected This view has been considerably strengthened not only throughout the Celestial Empire this organisation are extremely far-reaching and there cannot be the slightest doubt that to a certain extent, its efforts to secretly introduce Chinese into the Commonwealth have been successful.

ties placed in the way of unrestricted immigration are varied, and most cunningly. devised schemes have been put into operation. Act to grant exemptions to tourists, merchants and students desirous of visiting Australia, and There found that many of the applications made to me were all humbug, simply attempts to evade the Commonwealth laws: Of course these applications were promptly refused by me but it would be interesting and instructive to learn how they have been granted in the past. Continuing, Mr. Levien remarked that "there can be no question that the Chinese are attemptthey have in view. All the great agencies throughout the East and Australia work anyone giving them away. All these agencies are in touch all the time, and, when necessary the tacties are changed." It is doubtful, howfacilities for penetrating through the Northern Territory, where the Chinaman is to the blacks what roast pig is to his fellow countrymen.

thing in their power to check the nefarious loading operations at Eastern ports Euroindicator also shows the pipe through which the the ship is at sea several systematic searches are of the crew who may be on board. The modes of concealment are most ingenious. They

contrived by the Chinese engaged in leading appears that in India Nature is seen practicing contrived by the different for breathing the vessel, food and opportunities for breathing fresh air being furnished by the Chinese and secret, and liberally paid for their assistance. Some Chinese correspondence which recently came into possession to the Federal Depart. ment of External Affairs proved a revelation to the Commonwealth Customs Department, being perfectly clear from the contents of the letters that Chinese were being smuggled into Australia regularly in batches of from ten to eighty, "It is profitable," we are told, "to smuggle Chinese into the Commonwealth, and this is why the traffic flourishes. There is money to be made out of it at both ends. The immigrant is generally ready to pay a fair sum as passage money, while the employer, or relative, who wants him in Australia is willing to pay for having the immigrant delivered to him. The Chinaman himself is glad to come Brass wire of the proper size is supplied, and because the life is hard in China, and he has from this one machine makes about 600 complete | heard that in Australia it is easy to become

The manner in which the stowaways are concealed varies according to circumstances. Sometimes, it is explained, the hiding places are merely burrows made in the cargo, the space left for each man being so small that only the powers of endurance possessed by the average Chinaman could enable it to be utilsed. More ofter the vessels are secretly fitted with false bulkheads, false walls and false doors, which are simply partitions constructed in exact imitation of what they are supposed to represent, and fitted into grooves abovt eight or nine inches from the real walls and other portions of the below space. As many as five or eight Chinese are packed at a time into these hiding places, where they stand, lie, or crouch all the time they are hidden, The partitions always mysterionely disappear after the stowaways have escaped. a result which would be impossible if the Sydney wharves, instead of being open to public streets were surrounded by lofty walls as in English ports. False naturalisation papers are largely used. Each Chinese on leaving Australian can obtain a certificate giving his name, places of other matters, in case he should desire to return. In China there is a considerable traffic in these decuments, which invariably command high prices. Almost every Chinese passenger to Commonwealth ports has one of these papers, but the to whom the documents were originally given,

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satisfactorily tested for a year in glass-works of Wisconsin and Ontario. They are made by thoroughly mixing equal parts of the best Portland coment, and fine quartz sand, and then tamping into molds. Rightly made, the stones are free from the troublesome hard and soft spotse grinding glass without scratching. They have been pronounced superior to the natural stone,

Globe writes :- It is asserted, and apparently Asiatic problem. For some times past there has been a steady increase in the number of arriving at Sydney from Hongkong and other undotested arrivals of aliens were far more by several semi-official statements made by Mr. R. R. Levien, a Victorian State Commercial Agent, who has just returned to Melbourne after a residence of several years in the East. According to Mr. Levien, who possesses a thorough knowledge of the Chinese language and public affairs, there exists in china a powerful syndicate, with plenty of money at its back, and also possessing agencies but likewise in every part of Australasia and elsewhere. The ramifications of

The tricks which are resorted to," says Mr. Levien, "in order to overcome the difficulam authorised under the provisions of the Communwealth Aliens' Immigration Restriction ing to gain admission to the Commonwealth, and will stop at nothing to carry out the objects secretly and all pull together, without fear of ever, whether any of the stowaways manage to escape before reaching Sydney Certainly they do not land at Port Darwin, and there are no

The shipping companies, naturally do everytraffic, but so long as their vessels are manned by Chinese, they are helpless. During pean officers are constantly on duty at the hatches, and at the conclusion of each day's operations see that the hatches are closed down and fastened with Yale looks. Moreover, while made by the officers and any European members

holders are generally much younger than those and where no acceptable explanation of the difference in age is forthcoming the disappointed Celestials are bidden to return to the land of

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INSURANCE

NYORTH BRITISH AND

TOTAL FUNDS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1907 £18,114,624.

Authorised Capital ... £3,000,000 Subscribed Capital ... 2,750,000. Paid-up Capital II. Fire Funds

The Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.

Hongkong, 21st July, 1908.

AUTOMATIC BROWNING POCKET PISTOLS.

CALIBRE 7.65 m.m. With CHAMBER for 8 CARTRIDGES FIRING 8 SHOTS in 2 SECONDS. SIEMSSEN & Co.

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HONGKONG, MAY 5TH, 1909.						
STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	YALUB.	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTA- TIONS CASH.		
	300	Pa. 200	Pa. 200	Nominal		
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BANKS	120,000	\$125	all	8945, sales		
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation	* 1	£7	£6	\$51, buyers		
National Bank of China, Limited	99,925			\$101, buyers		
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	8,604	12/6				
China Borneo Company, Limited	60,000	\$12				
China Light and Power Company, Limited.	50,000	\$10 \$1		\$43		
China Provident, Loan & Mortgage Co., Ld	200,000	\$10		\$91, sellers		
COTTON MILLS.—		100		DOI: 104		
Ewo Cotton Spin'g, & Weaving Co., Ld.	20,000	Tls, 50	1 1 5 5	1 000		
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Laou-Kung-Mow C. Spin & Weav Co., Ld.	8,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 112.		
Soy Ulice Cotton Spinning Co., Limited	2,000	Tls. 500	Tla. 500			
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	40,000	\$72	86	\$17, sellers		
DOCKS AND WHARVES	1. 6 . W.	. 4		OEE Lamen		
Hkong & Kowloon Wharf & G. Co., Ld.	60,000	850	all	\$55, buyers \$79, sellers		
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ld. New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	50,000 10,000			The state of the s		
Shanghai Bock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tis, 100	Tls. 100	Tis. 87		
Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co., Ld.,	36,000) Tls. 100	1 miles and 10 miles		
Fenwick & Co., Limited	18,000	\$2	\$25			
Green Island Coment Co., Limited	400,000	\$10	\$10			
Hongkong and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	£i	o all	\$210, buyers		

INSUBANCES .--Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited ... China Fire Insurance Co., Limited ... The P.M. str. Manchuria sailed from Yekohama on the 27th ultime via Kobe, Naga-North-China Insurance Co., Limited saki and Manils, and is due to arrive at this Union Insurance Society, Limited

The M.M. str. Polynesien with the French Mail of the 11th ult., and mails from London of the 10th ult., left Bingapore on Monday the 3rd instant at 7 s.m., and may be expected to arrive here on Monday morning the 10th inst., and will leave for Shanghai and Japan on the

Philippine Co., Limited

Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Limited .

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China and Manila Steamship Co., Ld ...

Douglas Steamship Co., Limited

Hongkong, Canton & Macao S.B. Co., Ld.

Indo China Steam Navigation Co., Ld.

Shell Transport & Trading Co., Limited.

Star Ferry Company, Limited

South China Morning Post, Limited

REFINERIES.

STEAMSHIP COMPANIES .-

The Indo-China str. Suisgng from Calcutta and the Straits left Singapore for this port on the 1st inst. Peak Tramways Co., Limited..... The Indo-China str. Laisang left Calcutta for this port via the Straits on the 26th ult., and may be expected here on or about the 12th

THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C.P.R. str. Empress of India left Vancouver for Hongkong, via usual ports of call at p.m. on the 22nd ult. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The J.-C. J. Lijn str. Tjikini left Mo, for this port on the 29th ult. p.m., and may be expected here to-day. The str. Denbighshire from Europe left Singapore on the 29th ultimo, and may be

expected here to-day. The C.N. Co.'s str. Huichque left Tientsin 28th and Chefoo on the 30th pit, and may-be expected here to-day. The J. C. J. Lijn str. Tjimahi left Macassar Steam Laundry Company, Limited for this port on the 28th ult. at noon, and may

be expected here to-day. The N.G.I. str. Capri left Singapore for this port on the 30th ult. a.m., and may be expected here to-day. The P. & A. str. Numantia left Moji on the 1st instant, and is due to arrive at this port to-

The Glen Line str. Glenturret left Singapore Union Waterboat Co., Limited on the 2nd instant, and is expected to arrive here to morrow. The Bank Line str. Superic left the Sound

on the 10th ultimo, for Hongkong via Japan ports and Manila. The E. & A. str. Aldenham from Sydney. &c., left Port Darwin on the 26th ultime, for Timor, Manila and this port.

The P. & O. str. Poona left Singapore for this port on the 3rd instant at 7 a.m., and is due here on the 8th instant at about 8 a.m.

The N.Y.K. str. Totani Maru (Bombay Line) left Moji on the 2nd inst., and is expected here on the 8th inst.

The N.Y.K. str. Yeboshi Maru (Bomba) Line) left Singapore on the 3rd instant, and expected here on the 9th inst. The N.Y.K. str. Nikko Maru (Australian Line) left Thursday Island for this port via Manila on the 29th ultimo, and is expected here

on the 10th inst. The C.N. Co.'s str. Changsha will leave Sydney on the 15th inst., and is due here on the 9th prox.

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited 3/1, (old) buy. 2×425 (new)sel. 12,000 8,000 Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited all \$155, seuers Hongkong Ice Company, Limited \$100 Nominal Hongkong Milling Co., Ld. (in Liquidation) .. all \$24. 60,000 Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Limited \$50 \$190, buyers 10,000 \$20 \$106, buyers 825 8853, buyers China Traders Insurance Co., Limited ... Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited \$100 | \$815, buyers 860 | \$2022, buyers Yangteze Insurance Association, Limited ANDS AND BUILDINGS .-\$100 | \$100, buyers Hongkong Land Invest. Agency Co., Ld. 50,000 \$100 all \$9 buyers Humphreys' Estate and Finance Co., Ld. 150,000 Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ld. Tla. 50 Tla. 118. Shanghai Land Investment Co., Limited West Point Building Co., Limited 850 \$625, bayers Société Française des Charb ges du Tonkin Fes. 250 18/10 188, sellers Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ld. \$ 314.

STORES AND DISPENSABLES .all \$12, buyers Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited 87 \$24 buyers Wm. Powell, Limited 810 432, buyers Watkins, Limited A. S. Watson & Co., Limited \$100 | \$140. Weissmann, Limited..... 34 2124 United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited \$10 \$101, buyers Quotation. Value. Interest. Loans. Amount.

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

-S.S. "BENARTY,"

FROM ANTWERP, MIDDLESBRO. LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-

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FROM EUROPE.

"SCANDIA"

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14th May, or they will not be recognized.

examined on the 6th May, at 11 A.M.

Hongkong, 30th April, 1909.

HE H.A.L. Steamship

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

be obtained.

kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

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Per Chenan, from Shanghai, Mr and Mrs to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 6th May, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE. Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 30th April, 1909. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS:

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "PATHAN. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed Mrs J. Buckland and 2 children, Mr and Mrs that all Goods are being landed at their Pearson and child, Mr and Mrs D. M. Clarke risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves D. Graham, Mrs and Miss Bell, Mr and Master delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods J. S. Scott, Mrs Ryan, Mrs A. Graham, Mrs have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 10th inst., will be subject

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 3rd June, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are Cains, Masters R. and G. Graham, Messra to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 10th inst., at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & Co., LTD., Agents. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1909.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

From MIDPLESBOROUGH, ANTWERP, LONDON, COLOMBO AND SINGAPORE.

Hansen and 2 children, Mr and Mrs M. F. de THE Company's Steamship

"SADO MARU." having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where

mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared by the 11th inst., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Co.'s representatives at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the

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